

OF AUSTRALIA

City of Austin

Recommendation for Action

File #: 21-1943, Agenda Item #: 12.

6/3/2021

Posting Language

Approve an ordinance reauthorizing and modifying the pilot program adopted by Ordinance No. 20200604-047 that authorized specific businesses to use private parking lots and public right-of-way for expanded business operations.

Lead Department

Development Services Department

Fiscal Note

This item has no fiscal impact.

Prior Council Action:

December 3, 2020 - Council adopted Ordinance No. 20201203-007 that reauthorized and modified the pilot program adopted by Ordinance No. 20200604-047. The ordinance approved on consent on Mayor Pro Tem Garza's motion, Council Member Harper-Madison's second on an 11-0 vote.

June 4, 2020 - Council adopted Ordinance No. 20200604-047 that created a pilot program to authorize specific businesses to use private parking lots and public right-of-way for expanded business operations. The ordinance was approved on consent on Mayor Pro Tem Garza's motion, Council Member Pool's second on a 10-0 vote. Council Member Harper-Madison was off the dais.

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Additional Backup Information:

In December of 2020, Council approved Ordinance No. 20200604-047, which reauthorized and modified the Shop the Block Program. This ordinance directed the City Manager to place an ordinance that extends the Shop the Block Program on the June 3, 2021, Council Agenda.

If approved, this ordinance will extend the pilot program until December 1, 2021, and modify when certain permits issued as part of the pilot program will expire.

Strategic Outcome(s):

Government that Works for All, Economic Opportunity & Affordability.